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For: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF  
REINFORCED SLABS OF  
STONE MATERIAL

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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 8, 2003, the period for response to which having been extended three months until March 8, 2004 by the enclosed petition for extension of time, please amend the captioned application as instructed below. Attached as Appendix A is a Status of Claims and Support for Claim Changes, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.173(c).

**In the Claims:**

*Amend claim 65 to read as follows:*

65. The process according to claim 39, wherein grooves or recesses are formed on said rear face of the slab and said linear reinforcing elements are housed in the grooves or recesses.